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New York, Columbia University, Rare Book and Manuscript Library, Smith Western MS 14

Description: ff. iii (paper) + 134 + iii (paper) - In modern Italian calf with gold stamped designs; spine and front cover detached. - Capuchines of Messina; obtained in Palermo by David Eugene Smith (1860-1944). - De Ricci, p. 1275.

Number of Parts: 1 - *Number of Images Available:* 7

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Language: Latin *Country:* Italy *Century:* 12th

Part 1: ff. 1-134

Description: - Parchment - 153 x 140 mm - 26 lines ruled in dry point.

Country: Italy

Cardinal point:

Region:

City:

Assigned Date: s. XII/XIII

Searchable Date Range: 1190 - 1210

Dated by scribe: No

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Document: No

Number of Scribes: ;2: scribe i, ff. 1-131v; scribe ii, ff. 132-134v.

Script: Gothic; ff. 132-134 added in a later hand.

Other Decoration: 18-line opening penwork initial, washed in yellow and infilled in red; 12- and 7-line red initials, the former with void design and both with sunburst patterns in the center of the letter; two pen and ink 9- and 13-line initials.

Number of Texts: 1

Text 1: ff. 1-131v

Author: Bede

Title: In epistolas VII catholicas

Language(s): Latin

Notes: Lacks prologue; also contains commentary by Isidore as an added text, ff. 132-134v.



f. 1v Interlace initial.

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ff. 35v-36 Painted initial.

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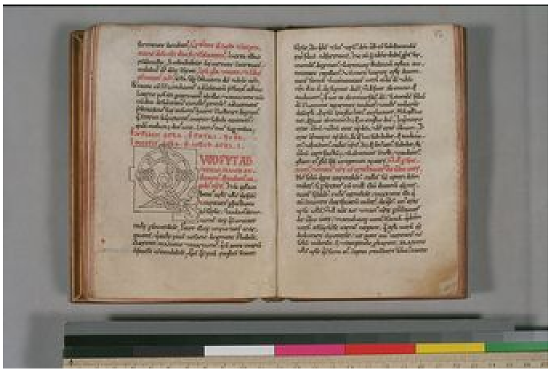
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ff. 63v-64 Ruling in dry point (here showing as ridges); text copied above top line.

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ff. 85v-86 Display capitals in rubric; pen and ink interlace initial.

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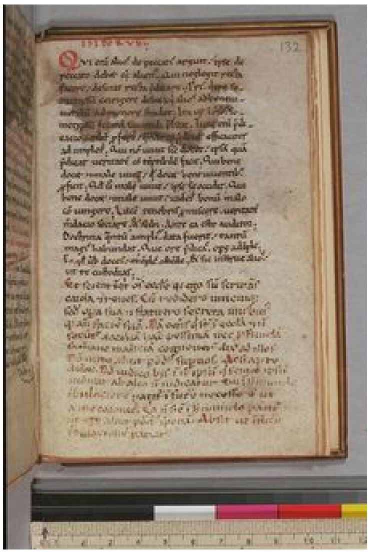
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ff. 124v-125 Display capitals in rubric; pen and ink interlace initial.

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f. 132 Added commentary by Isidore.

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f. 134v

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